

Herbarium of A. H. Curtiss,

Salleygrand Place, near

Jacksonville, Florida., July 29 1851

My Friend Mr. [unclear]

Dear Sir - As the enclosed
check received a few days since
by Mr. [unclear], will be of a service
to you at the closing of the summer,
as the time of his return home seems
now very indefinite, and as he wishes
me to send his remittances in the form
of money order, I now very much
regret that I did not request you
to make the whole amount payable
to order of me, but when I was
expected here some time in June
as all, or nearly all, the remittances
I have received since the worst average
has been in the shape of greenbacks
I am very much inconvenienced & perhaps
especially in regard to forwarding them
money - It occurs to me that you
might be willing to take back this check

" I have been very glad to me
If you will thus receive, I shall be
shall return in a great joy
If you cannot please return the
enclosed check immediately.

I have today received the plants
collected by my son - of 101 lbs date,
amounting the sum about 35.00 \$ plus,
also a very choice collection of Marine
Algae which is my specialty,
I like to be said he had for me
you a set of plants for determination.

Yours respectfully,
Wm. G. Curtis